AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION

Please replace the paragraph beginning on line 1 of page 7 with the following replacement paragraph:

The access network 115 or a portion thereof is interfaced with the packet data network 115 110 by means of a firewall 120. The firewall 120 acts as a gatekeeper for all data transmissions entering the access network 115. Viruses, as well as access by unauthorized users can be prevented by implementation of security software at the point of the firewall 120. Accordingly, security breaches in the packet data network 110, such as the propagation of a virus, can be prevented from damaging the access network 115 and the information therein.

Please replace the paragraph beginning on line 17 of page 11 beginning with, "Firewall 120 is placed in the wireless...." with the following replacement paragraph:

Firewall 120 is placed in the wireless network. In one embodiment, the firewall 120 can be placed between the GGSN 305 and the backbone network 325 in a manner such that all communications between the GGSN 305 and terminal 105a are received at the firewall 120. In other embodiments, the firewall 1200 120 can be placed elsewhere in the wireless network or even integrated with a wireless network node. As noted above, the firewall 120 acts as a gatekeeper which examines and filters incoming data packets. Accordingly, security breaches, such as viruses and other unauthorized communications are prevented from entering the wireless network or a portion(s) thereof.

Please replace the paragraph beginning on line 17 of page 19 beginning with, "The memory 610 can also...." with the following replacement paragraph:

The memory 610 can also store a plurality of instructions executable by a processor 625. The foregoing instructions when executed by the processor 625 cause the processor 625 to create and initialize a record 620, responsive to receipt of an SIP INVITE signal, e.g., signals 405, 470. Wherein the SIP

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INVITE signal is received from a terminal 105a of access unit network 115, e.g., signal 405, the calling party address, and calling party port number are stored at the first terminal identifier 620a and first port number identifier 620b, respectively. When the corresponding ACK signal is received from terminal 105b, the identifier of terminal 105b and the port number used by terminal 105b for the voice over IP call are stored in second terminal identifier 620c and second port number identifier 620d.

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